

REMARKS

This is a full and timely response to the outstanding non-final Office Action mailed March 21, 2008. Upon entry of the amendments in this response, claims 15-55 remain pending. In particular, Applicant amends claims 28, 41, 42, 51 and 55. Reconsideration and allowance of the application and presently pending claims are respectfully requested.

ALLOWED SUBJECT MATTER

The Office Action indicates that the application and claims are in condition for allowance except for a few minor formal matters in claims 41, 42, and 51. Applicant acknowledges this indication of allowed subject matter in the originally filed claims and makes appropriate amendments to claims 41, 42, and 51, and additionally to claims 28 and 55, to fully address the Office Action's concerns. The Office Action indicates that the suggested "changes were deemed necessary for better clarity purposes," and therefore, these amendments should not affect or narrow the scope or interpretation of the claims.

CONCLUSION

In light of the foregoing amendments and for at least the reasons set forth above, Applicant respectfully submits that all objections and/or rejections have been traversed, rendered moot, and/or accommodated, and that the now pending claims are in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and allowance of the present application and all pending claims are hereby courteously requested.

Any other statements in the Office Action that are not explicitly addressed herein are not intended to be admitted. In addition, any and all findings of inherency are traversed as not having been shown to be necessarily present. Furthermore, any and all findings of well-known art and Official Notice, or statements interpreted similarly, should not be considered well-known

for the particular and specific reasons that the claimed combinations are too complex to support such conclusions and because the Office Action does not include specific findings predicated on sound technical and scientific reasoning to support such conclusions.

If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephonic conference would expedite the examination of this matter, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney at (770) 933-9500.

Respectfully submitted,



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